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SUBJ: ECE - 32ND SESSION - ECE 30TH ANNIVERSARY

REF: GENEVA 2500

1. ECE 32ND SESSION WILL MARK 30TH ANNIVERSARY OF COMMISSION'S ESTABLISHMENT. AS AT 25TH ANNIVERSARY SESSION IN 1972 (AND AS NOTED REFTEL), MEMBER GOVERNMENTS WILL SEND MESSAGES OF CONGRATULATIONS. MESSAGES MAY BE ADDRESSED EITHER TO CHAIRMAN OF COMMISSION OR TO THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OR MAY BE DELIVERED ORALLY BY THE REPRESENTATIVES TO THE SESSION. IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT ALL MESSAGES WILL BE READ, EITHER BY THE CHAIRMAN OR BY REPRESENTATIVES FOLLOWING OPENING STATEMENTS BY THE OUTGOING AND INCOMING CHAIRMEN AND THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY.
2. US CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE TO ECE 25TH ANNIVERSARY SESSION WAS SIGNED BY PRESIDENT NIXON. MISSION SUGGESTS THAT 30TH ANNIVERSARY MESSAGE BE ADDRESSED TO CHAIRMAN OF ECE AND BE SIGNED BY PRESIDENT CARTER OR SECRETARY VANCE.
3. MISSION SUGGESTS MESSAGE ALONG FOLLOWING LINES: ON THE OCCASION OF THE THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE, I AM PLEASED TO EXTEND MY SIN-  
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CERE CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES FOR THE CONTINUED SUCCESS OF THE COMMISSION. SINCE ITS CREATION AT A TIME WHEN EUROPE WAS STILL SUFFERING FROM THE RAVAGES OF WAR, THE COMMISSION HAS WORKED EFFECTIVELY TO PROMOTE CO-OPERATION AMONG COUNTRIES OF THE REGION ON VITAL ECONOMIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL PROBLEMS WHICH TRANSCEND POLITICAL

DIFFERENCES. THREE DECADES LATER, IN THE AFTERMATH OF THE  
SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION OF THE CONFERENCE ON SECURITY AND  
COOPERATION IN EUROPE, THE COMMISSION HAS SEIZED NEW  
OPPORTUNITIES TO QUICKEN THE PACE OF REGIONAL COOPERATION.  
I AM CERTAIN THAT THIS INTENSIFIED COOPERATION WILL PAY  
RICH DIVIDENDS TO THE PEOPLE OF THE REGION IN THE FORM  
OF A HIGHER QUALITY OF LIFE AND A GREATER SENSE OF INTER-  
DEPENDENCE. THE COMMISSION MAY BE ASSURED OF THE FULL  
SUPPORT OF THE UNITED STATES IN WORKING TOWARD THESE  
GOALS.SORENSEN

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